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**Senator Gilbert Testifies in Favor of  
‘Maritime Capital of the Great Lakes’  
Moniker**

State Senator Jud Gilbert, R-Algonac, testified at the Senate Natural Resources Environmental Affairs Committee Tuesday, February 11, 2003. Senator Gilbert was joined by Mr. Jim Clary, Maritime Historian and Artist, in supporting Senator Gilbert’s Senate Resolution 3, which recognizes the city of Port Huron's effort to moniker the city "Maritime Capital of the Great Lakes."

**Editor’s Note:** A downloadable photograph of state Senator Jud Gilbert and Mr. Jim Clary testifying at the committee hearing is available on the Senator’s Web site at:  
<http://www.senate.state.mi.us/gop/photowire/Gilbert/Gilbert.htm>

Comments from Senator Jud Gilbert and Mr. Jim Clary regarding the resolution to label Port Huron “Maritime Capital of the Great Lakes” are available on the Senate Majority Hotline at (517) 373-4000. Those comments are also available on Senator Gilbert’s Web site at <http://www.senate.state.mi.us/gop/audiowire/gilbert/index.htm>